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OF THE
Sixty-Eighth Legislature
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.

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ble under existing laws, reported that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted and resolve laid on the table to be printed.

On motion by Mr. Savage of Androscoggin, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.

Monday, Jan. 18, 1897.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingstone of Augusta.

Papers from the Senate passed in concurrence.

The various petitions for an appropriation sufficient to operate the Monmouth fish hatchery and feeding station and to pay for two wardens in Kennebec county, were in the Senate referred in non-concurrence to the committee on inland fisheries and game.

The House receded and referred them in concurrence to the committee on inland fisheries and game.

Bills, petitions, etc., presented and referred:

Judiciary.

By Mr. Smith of Presque Isle—Petition of George H. Collins and 144 others of Presque Isle for legislation allowing women to vote in municipal elections.

By Mr. Jewell of Hallowell—A petition for the same.

By Mr. Murray of Pembroke—Petition of Maria L. Smith and others of Milbridge for same; petition of Mrs. A. C. Rogers and 113 others of Pembroke for same.

By Mr. Sanborn of Sanford—Bill an act to change the name of the Sanford Agricultural and Mechanical Association.

By Mr. Philbrook of Waterville—Bill an act to incorporate the Union Gas and Electric Company.

By Mr. Pearl of Bangor—Resolve, that the State treasurer be authorized to pay Isaiah K. Stetson the sum of \$38.93 as per itemized bill attached for expense incurred by the committee in attending the funeral of Ex-Gov. Daniel F. Davis at Bangor, Jan. 13, 1897.

On motion of Mr. Pearl the rules were suspended, the resolve receiving its second reading and was passed to be engrossed.

Financial Affairs.

By Mr. Moore of Deering—Petition of Nicholas Fessenden and 10 others in aid of the Little Samaritan Aid Society of Portland; petition of Mary S. Snow and 60 others of Bangor for same; petition of Selden Connor and 70 others for same; petition of Henry B. Cleaves, Nelson Dingley and 50 others for same; petition of Randall D. Bibber, mayor, and seven aldermen of the city of Bath; also city clerk and 12 others for same; petition of Wm. B. Cleaves and 10 others for same.

Resolve in aid of the Little Samaritan Aid Society of Portland.

By Mr. Williams of Augusta—Resolve in favor of the Augusta city hospital.

By Mr. Furbush of Lewiston—Resolve in aid of the temporary home for women and children at Deering with accompanying petition and statement of facts.

Education

By Mr. Conant of Strong—Bill an act to amend section 3, chapter 216 of the Public Laws of 1893, relating to public schools.

By Mr. Day of Turner—Resolve in favor of Leavitt Institute.

Taxation.

By Mr. Goodrich of Maxfield—Resolve in favor of the town of Maxfield for a mistake in over-valuation.

Railroads, Telegraphs and Expresses.

By Mr. Macomber of Augusta—Bill an act to amend the charter of the Waldo Street Railway Company.

Bill an act to extend the charter of the Maine Water and Electric Power Company.

By Mr. Burns of Westbrook—Bill an act to incorporate the Westbrook, Windham and Harrison Railway Company, with accompanying petition.

Interior Waters.

By Mr. Cram of Mt. Vernon—An act to authorize the Maine Central Railroad Company to construct and maintain a wharf and boat house in Lake Maranocook.

State Lands and State Roads.

By Mr. Daggett of Smyrna—Resolve in favor of an appropriation to repair the bridge across Macwahoc stream.

Resolve in favor of an appropriation to repair the bridge over Molunkus stream.

funeral of Ex-Governor Daniel F. Davis.

On motion of Mr. Newcomb of Eastport,

Adjourned.

Inland Fisheries and Game.

By Mr. Hamilton of Mattawamkeag—Petition of F. A. Greenwood of Mattawamkeag and 65 others asking for a change in the law governing the taking of salmon in the Penobscot river.

By Mr. Wheeler of Gilead—Petition of J. D. Kimball and 26 others of Gilead relating to killing of moose, deer and caribou in Oxford county.

By Mr. Knowlton of Newburgh—Petition of O. D. Lombard and 110 others asking for close time in Stetson pond in the town of Stetson.

By Mr. Williams of Augusta—Petition of J. A. Lee and 79 others for an appropriation sufficient to procure a suitable number of wardens to protect fish and game in Kennebec county for the years 1897 and 1898.

By Mr. Fernald of Poland—Petition of P. R. Strout and 9 others of Durham asking for an appropriation sufficient to operate Auburn hatchery and feeding station and suitable warden service for the years 1897 and 1898.

Pensions.

By Mr. Palmer of Bangor—Petition of John Cassidy and 11 others for increase of pension of Robert Johnson of Brewer.

Franklin County Delegation

By Mr. Blanchard of Wilton—An act authorizing the county commissioners of Franklin to abate county taxes on Perkins plantation.

Orders.

By Mr. Hamilton of Mattawamkeag: Ordered, That the committee on inland fisheries and game be directed to inquire into the necessity of reimbursing citizens of the State who may have their crops injured by deer, and report by bill or otherwise.

Passed to Be Enacted.

Resolve in favor of the committee of the Senate appointed to attend the